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The "CHINA MAIL" Office,
Hongkong.
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EDITION, 1863.
Price, \$5.
Selling Price, Ten Dollars.
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PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.
LONDON: F. ALAN, 11, Abchurch Lane,
Leadenhall Street, London E.C. 3.
CORNHILL, GORDON & GORCH, 121, Hol-
born Hill, E.C. 1. Messrs HENRY & CO.,
4 Old Jewry, E.C. 2.
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW
ZEALAND: GORDON & GORCH, Mel-
bourne and Sydney.
SAN FRANCISCO: American Express
generally: W. H. & BAUER, San
Francisco.
CHINA: Messrs. DROWN & CO., 2, Mo-
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Arrivals.
Mar. 22, Colima, North German barque,
22, Böhreldt, Whampoa, 20 March, Gen-
eral—WM. PUSTAU & CO.
Mar. 23, Shanghai, Russian steamer,
624, J. Atkin, Shanghai, 20 March, Gen-
eral—LANDSTEIN & CO.

Departures.
Mar. 23, Emen, for Singapore and Bihay,
23, Formosa, for East Coast.
Mar. 23, Der West, for Yokohama.
Mar. 23, Mclvor, for Bangkok.

Passenger.
Per P. & O. Steamship Emen, sailed
today—
1st CLASS.
For Bombay: Mrs. Yvonne Meyer, 2 in-
fants, 1 native male servant, and native fe-
male servant. For Marseilles: Messrs
Geo. Wallis, R. Edouard. For Southampton:
—Captain Grubbs, Com. Pursey, R.N.,
Messrs H. Carter, B. Bruce, Evans.
2nd CLASS.
For Bombay: Messrs. Alliboy, Bath-
bloy Cassam Boyes, J. H. Peckham. For
Marseilles: —Messrs. Krokowski, Messrs
El. Darguety, H. Cabaret, J. Flantila, J.
Cerro. For Southampton: —Mr
and Mrs. Plenson, and 2 children. For Giral-
tar: —Mrs. A. Rodriguez.

Shipping Reports.
The Russian steamer *Shaftebury*, from
Shanghai reports cloudy weather and fresh
N. E. monsoon all the passage to Hong-
kong.

Entertainments.
**HONGKONG AMATEUR THEA-
TRICAL SOCIETY.**
ON
MONDAY,
20th March,
will be performed at the
LUSTINO THEATRE.
The Farce
"TICKLISH TIMES."
The Burlesque Extravaganza
"PARIS"
OR
VIVE L'EMPIRE.

Doors open at 8.30. Performance to
commence at 9 o'clock.
Boxes, \$18.
Stalls, \$3.
List are lying at the HONGKONG AND
UNITED STATES, and at Messrs LANE, CRAW-
FORD & CO., where a plan of the Thea-
tre may be seen, and tickets obtained.
REGINALD D. STARKIE,
Hon. Sec.
Hongkong, March 22, 1869. 27mar

New Advertisements.
FOR AMOY AND MANILA.
The British barque
"NAVARINO,"
408 tons, Capt. P. Pardon, will
have quick despatch for the above
ports.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
LANDSTEIN & CO.
Hongkong, March 22, 1869. 27mar
HOME, SWEET HOME!!!
FREE PASSAGE
TO
ENGLAND.
H. M. S. S. "PERSEUS."
QUICK DESPATCH.
THE Officers of the above Ship are in
want of a few Smart Young Hands as
Servants.
N.B.—None but those of very good cha-
racter need apply.
Immediate application necessary.
Hongkong, March 22, 1869. 27mar
F. A. WHEELER,
HAIR CUTTER & HAIR DRESSER,
26, Queen's Road,
(Opposite LANE & CRAWFORD'S).
Hongkong, March 19, 1869. 27mar
**HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-
PANY, IN LIQUIDATION.**
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
A Second DIVIDEND of \$125 per share
will be payable at the HONGKONG &
SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on and
after the 22nd Instant.
Shareholders are requested to apply at
the office of the Undersigned, No. 39,
Queen's Road, for Warrants.
JARDINE, MATTHEWSON & Co.,
Liquidators.
Hongkong, March 19, 1869. 27mar

Books.
CHARLES A. SAINT-
SAINT has on sale
50 cents each
the waistcoat pocket.

Books.
WIMBLEDON BIBLE
STINGS.
SAINT has on sale
50 cents each
the waistcoat pocket.

New Advertisements.
NOTICE.
SELLING OFF AT COST PRICE.
FOR
ONE MONTH ONLY.
ON and after the 17th proximo, the Store
of the Undersigned will positively be
closed, but in the meantime they offer at
GOST PRICE.
The whole of their Immense Stock
as follows:—
SHIP CHANDLERY.
Russian Rope, Household, Marine, Rat-
line, Sailing Cloth, and Hambroline, Mast
Hoops, Jib-Hanks, Emery and Sand Paper,
Hemp and Cotton Canvas, Parcelling, Drill-
ing, Blocks, Brushes of all kinds, Tar,
Vaseline, Leather and Canvas Hose,
OILMAN'S STORES.
Pickles, Mustard, Sage, Arrowroot, Tapi-
oca, Pearl Barley, Raisins, Capers, Chut-
ney, and Curry-Powder, Sausages, and Kes-
chups, Ceylon Tea, Soda, Saleratus,
Coffee, Sugar, Milk, Flavoring Extracts,
Essence of Jamaica Ginger, Bologna Saus-
ages, Game Pies, Hammy, Preserved
Meats, Soups, Fruits, and Vegetables.
**CARPENTERS AND ENGINEER'S
TOOLS & STORES.**
Augers, Chisels, Gouges, Files, Screws,
(Iron and Brass) Hammers, Hatchets, Axes,
Adzes, Saws, Planes, Hinges, Trysquares,
Compasses, Square Drivers, Braces and
Bits, Hemp, Rubber and Tuck's Packing,
Anvils, Emery Powder, Tube Brushes,
Belting, Taps and Dies, Water and Gauge
Glasses, Boiler Plates.
IRONMONGERY.
Ship and House Cooking Stoves, Parlor
Grates, Saucepans, Blaudettes, Looke of all
kinds, shovels, Spades,
FAIRBANK'S PLATFORM SCALES.
Iron SAFES.
Plated, Glass and Crockery WARES.
Sherry and Port WINES.
**BRANDY and WHISKY in bottles and
casks.**
**GIN, RUM, LIQUEURS and RHINE-
WINE.**
SALE & PORTER.
And,
Sundry other GOODS.
Also,
CHARTS at \$0.50 each.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, March 17, 1869. 27mar

NEW GOODS.
Ex "Black Prince" and "Ziba."
Brass BEDSTADS.
DELICIOUS for Macao Trips.
DESPATCH BOXES and DESKS.
STATIONERY.
HENRIETTA, PARAMATTA, & Co., do.,
for the opening season.
ELECTRO PLATE.
TEAPOTS for early morning Tea.
Lightning CONDUCTORS.
Pressure GAUGES.
Leather CLOTH.
FIRE BRICKS.
Globe CROCKERY.
Tuscan STRAWS.
Patent WATER-CLOSETS.
FATS, LUBRICANTS.
Fishing LINES.
Leather BELTING, for Machinery.
Racquet BALLS.
PERFUMERY.
Dust SPECTACLES.
Krug's CHAMPAGNE.
Fine Port WINE.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, March 18, 1869. 27mar

**HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.**
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
WITH a view to the apportionment of
the Reserve Third of Profits, Share-
holders are requested to furnish the under-
signed on or before the 1st April next,
with a memorandum of the Premiums con-
tributed by them to the above Company.
JARDINE, MATTHEWSON & Co.,
Liquidators.
Hongkong, March 13, 1869. 27mar

Auctions.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have
received instructions to sell by
Public Auction, at Noon, on
TUESDAY,
the 19th April, at DUART, the residence
of G. F. MACLEAN, Esq., The whole of
the FURNITURE, CHIEFLY ENGLISH
MADE, comprising:—
Couches, Easy Chairs, Tables, Mar-
queterie Cabinets, Gilt Mirrors, Cor-
nices, Writing Tables, Whatnots, Pan-
tals, Iron Bedsteads with Spring Mat-
tresses, Wardrobes with Plate Glass
Doors, Dressing Tables, Washstands,
Etc., Etc., Etc.
Silver and Plated Ware, China and
Glassware, etc., etc.
A Semi-Grand Piano by Broadwood,
(made expressly for this climate).
A Sewing Machine (WHEELER AND
WILSON).
A large-size Magic Lantern, complete.
A Fine Californian Cow.
A set Double-harness, neatly new.
Also,
One Billiard Table (LAZARUS & Co.),
with Fittings, Benches, etc., complete.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery
in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
All lots, with all faults and errors of
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Auctions.
PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received in-
structions to sell by Public Auction, on
SATURDAY,
the 3rd April, 1869, at 12 o'clock, Noon,
at his Sales Rooms, Commercial Bank
Buildings,—
All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND,
situate at Pokfulam and registered in
the Land Office as Farm Lot No. 29.
The Lot contains in the whole ten
and a quarter acres.
After which and at the same time and
place, will be sold, all those Lots of
Land situate at Sowkewan and regis-
tered in the Land Office, as Inland Lots.
No. 105 con'g in the whole 9000 sq. feet
" 106 " " 3000 sq. feet
" 107 " " 9000 sq. feet
" 108 " " 3000 sq. feet
" 118 " " 2500 sq. feet
" 137 " " 4000 sq. feet
For further particulars apply to the
Undersigned.
TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the Pur-
chase money to be paid on the fall of the
hammer, and the balance on completion of
the deeds of transfer. All expenses of
transfer to be paid by the Purchaser.
Property to be at the risk of the Pur-
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J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, March 12, 1869. 27mar

Auctions.
PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received in-
structions to sell by Public Auction, on
TUESDAY,
the 6th day of April, 1869, at Noon, on
the Premises,—
Those Lots of Land, situate in Queen's
Road East, and registered in the Land
Office, as:—
Inland Lot No. 526, containing in the
whole 8000 square feet.
Inland Lot No. 517, containing in the
whole 4000 square feet, together with
the substantially built granite Godown
erected thereon.
For further particulars, apply to the
Undersigned.
TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the pur-
chase money to be paid on fall of the ham-
mer, and the balance on completion of the
deeds of transfer, the expenses of which
to be paid by the purchaser.
Property to be at the risk of the pur-
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J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, March 20, 1869. 27mar

Auctions.
PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received in-
structions to sell by Public Auction, on
FRIDAY,
the 2nd day of April, 1869, at 1 o'clock 4
p.m., on the Premises, under the power
of sale contained in the deed of Mort-
gage,—
Inland Lot No. 335, with the Chinese
House thereon, situate and being No.
36, Jardine's Bazaar, East Point.
For further particulars, apply to the
Auctioneer, or to Mr. EDMUND SHARP,
Solicitor.
TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of purchase
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deed of transfer, the expenses of which
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J. M. ARMSTRONG,
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PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received in-
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THURSDAY,
25th March, 1869, on their
Premises, Praya,—A Portion
of their remaining STOCK,
comprising
Very Handsome Electro
Plated Ware, in great variety,
consisting of Dish Covers,
Hot Water Dishes, Cruet
Stands, Egg Stands, Butter
Dishes, Pickle Stands, Toddy
Kettles, Cake Baskets, etc., etc.,
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Boxes and Locks, Flags of all
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TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before
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weighed at 7.1.7. Intending
Purchasers will kindly take no-
tice that all Lots must be cleared
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Catalogues will be issued and
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25th March, 1869, on their
Premises,

Notices to Consignees.

BRITISH SHIP "FALCON," FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, March 22, 1869. mar29

THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.
Ex "Hoggy," 31st October, 1868.
VO 827 1 case Arms.
Ex "Cambridge," 2d February, 1869.
GFO 15985 1 case Chemicals.
Ex "Donat," 13th March, 1869.
FFO 436 1 case Stationery.
C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.
Hongkong, March 17, 1869.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's Steamship "Donat," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for delivery of their Goods before the 11th Instant, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.
C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.
Hongkong, March 8, 1869.

BARQUE "BENEFACITOR," FROM NEW YORK.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
Hongkong, March 1, 1869.

"ZIBA" FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
No Claims for Damaged Goods or short delivery of parts of packages or cases will be allowed after the Cargo has left the Vessel's side.
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, March 8, 1869. tf

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
THE following cases are now stored in the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Godown at the expense and risk of the Consignees who are requested to take immediate delivery.
Ex "China," 20th January, 1869.
S. B. M. 1 case Catalogues.
Ex "Rangoon," 2nd January, 1869.
Messrs Labhart & Co., Manila.
Messrs Loney & Co., Manila.
Ex "Empire," 23rd October, 1868.
Messrs Labhart & Co., Manila.
Ex "Orion," 24th August, 1868.
Messrs Labhart & Co., Manila.
Ex "Orion," 24th August, 1868.
Messrs Labhart & Co., Manila.
W. MACAULAY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, February 26, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

MR. S. H. DAVID is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration from this date.
E. D. SASSOON & Co.
Hongkong, March 1, 1869. apl

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE ADJUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.
C. LANGDON DAVIES.
Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NELSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.
Mr. THOMAS PIM, Mr. WILLIAM NISSEN, OLIVESTED and Mr. H. SEYMOUR GRABY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.
OLYPHANT & Co.
Hongkong, October 8, 1868.

FROM this date Mr. GEORGE E. LANE will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this port.
GEO. F. BOWMAN.
Hongkong, March 15, 1869.

NOTICE.
THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA LIMITED.

MR. ROBERT E. WALKER has this day been appointed Secretary to the Company, and Mr. JOHN LING, the present Acting Secretary, resumes his functions as Managing Engineer for the Company.
By order of the Board of Directors,
JOHN LING,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, March 3, 1869.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. GEORGE WILHELM SCHNEIDERMAN and of Mr. RUDOLPH THOMSEN in our firm ceased on the 31st December 1877, and 31st December 1868 respectively.
Mr. EDWARD NISSEN and Mr. HENRI NISSEN have this day been admitted partners in our firm at Hongkong and in China, which now consists of Mr. GEORGE THOMSEN, Mr. WOLFGANG NISSEN, Mr. ADOLPH JOSEPH, Mr. EDWARD NISSEN and Mr. HENRI NISSEN.
NISSEN & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1869. 2up

NOTICE.
MR. D. O. CLARK writes from our Firm, and Mr. J. MURRAY FORBES and Mr. E. D. SASSOON are admitted Partners from this date.
RUSSELL & Co.,
China, January 1, 1869. July2

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
WE have authorized Mr. CLARA BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date.
DREYER & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. FREDERICK PENDER in our Firm ceased from this date.
H. D. BROWN & Co.
Amoy, December 31, 1868. apr2

MR. FRANCIS CHOMLEY is a Partner in our Firm, which from this date will be conducted under the Name of BROWN & Co.
H. D. BROWN & Co.
Amoy, January 1, 1869. apr2

For Sale.

FOR THE RACES.

SAYLE & Co.,
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
HONG KONG.

HAVE RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER.

A Large assortment of MILLINERY, BONNETS, and HATS, of the latest fashions.

A Choice assortment of SILK, MUSLIN, and GRENADINE, for Evening Wear.

A fine assortment of new French FLOWERS, HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS.

A large assortment of new TRIMMINGS and FRINGES in all colors.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES, in white and colors, all sizes.

Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS.

Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c.

(BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT,

20, Fochow Road, Shanghai.

Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

Per "Mail Steamer" and late Arrivals.

MISS ROSE

HAS received a choice assortment of French GLASSES, black and colored, BARKER and FANCY DRESSES, black and colored piece VELVETS and SATINS in the newest shades.

Plain and Fancy RIBBONS, VESTS, TRIMMINGS in great variety, Real OLIVINE and VALENCIENNES LACES.

Ladies' and Children's trimmed and untrimmed HATS in all the fashionable shapes.

Ladies' BONNETS latest styles, Plain and Fancy, SUNSHADES, French FANS, &c.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's French Kid GLOVES and BOOTS.

A large assortment of French and English HOSIERY, Gentlemen's Black and Drab Shell HATS, SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, &c., &c.

Henrie's PERFUMERY.

WELLINGTON STREET,

Opposite the Catholic Chapel.

Hongkong, February 13, 1869.

S. W. BAKER & Co.,

BEG to invite inspection of their New STOCK for the Season, received per late arrivals, including—

Ladies' Hats, Bonnets, Opera Cloaks, Dresses in plain and fancy Silks, Poplins, Rept, and new Textures, French Robes, ready made, French Sashes, Belts, Jackets and Mantles, new shape Jupons, white and scarlet Corsets, Lace Falls, Lace and other Trimmings, Ribbons, and Ribbon Velvets in all colors, Hosiery, Kid, Cashmere, and Bronze Boots, white Satin Boots and Kid Gloves. A large assortment of Wool and Embroidery Works, as Cushion Patterns, Smoking Caps, Masala Sets, &c.

Sanger's Umbrellas, Christy's new shape Felt and Shell Hats, a choice lot of Neck Scarfs, Ties, Wrappers, Collars, Socks, Fancy Tweeds and Coatings, Braces, &c.

Brussels Carpets, Velvet Pile Carpets and Rugs, All Wool Damasks, Lace Curtains, Table Covers in great variety, Table Napkins, D'Oyleys, Blankets, Counterpanes, Sheetings, Flannels, Wool Mats, Turkish and other Towels, &c.

Children's Trimmed Hats, Boots, Perambulators, Picture Books, Toys, &c.

Dressing Cases, and Travelling Bags fitted for Ladies and Gentlemen, Playing Cards, and a large assortment of Stationery and Perfumery Goods.

S. W. BAKER & Co.
Hongkong, December 22, 1868.

WELFELD & ZACHARIAE.

HAVE received by the last mail the

PIPE

now in use by

men of fashion, and as only a few have

come into their

early orders for the same are solicited.

A well selected stock of Smokers' Articles, such as Carved Cigarholders, Briar-root Pipes, Havana Cigars (choice brands), No. 2 and 3 Manila Cigars and Cigarettes of the finest quality, in boxes of 200 and 500 each; Smoking Tobacco (choice brands); Cigarette Paper, Tobacco Pouches, Flints, &c., &c., &c.

Also a fresh supply of Russian Cigarettes, HONGKONG,

Queen's Road, 88 & 90.

SHANGHAI,

Canton Road, 6,

Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
FOUR first class Cargo BOATS, all in good order with Sails and Gear complete.
Average burthen, 800 piculs each.
Apply to
MORGAN LAMBERT & Co.
Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

New Advertisements.

TO LET.

ONE FLOOR of a house in Queen's Road, well situated.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of the following Packages per Brit. barque Meteor, from Sydney, are requested to communicate with the Undersigned, and take immediate delivery of their Goods, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

K, 5 packages, Mar'dise, shipped by Alderson & Sons.

E, 48 cases Preserved, shipped by Raabon Pez & Co.

A, 7 cases Copper, shipped by Chen.

55 cases Fish, Ateak.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Hongkong, March 23, 1869. tf

NOTICE.

ON and after April 1st, until further notice, the retail price of JOE will be Four (4c.) Cents per pound.

H. O'HARA,
Agent Tudor Co.
Hongkong, March 23, 1869. ap5

TENDERS for Repairs of North German

Barque "Albatros," LAUSAN Master, will be accepted at the Office of the Undersigned until THURSDAY, the 25th March, at Noon. Full particulars can be obtained there.

BOURJAU, HUBNER & Co.,
Agents N. G. Barque "Albatros,"
Hongkong, March 23, 1869. mar25

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Company's OFFICES are this day REMOVED to the Ground Floor of Messrs ROBERT S. WALKER & Co.'s House at the corner of Ice House Street.

Hongkong, March 19, 1869. ap19

NOTICE.

FROM and after this date, the style of our firm will be WALKER, SMITH & Co.

WALKER & Co.,
China Sugar Refinery,
East Point.
Hongkong, March 17, 1869. ap17

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DEBT & Co.

A SECOND DIVIDEND of Five per cent upon the amount of all claims admitted by the Trustees will be paid on the 15th May next.

On application to Mr. G. OVERBROOK, at the Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Pender's Hill, Creditors will be furnished with Warrants signed by the Trustees, which will be payable at the Office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Hongkong, March 2, 1869. jun2

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS.

IS published in London for the P. & O. Co.'s and French Mail, and contains—Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and Foreign News.

Special Correspondents' Letters from Germany, Holland, &c.

Leading Articles on the principal interests of China.

Digest of Home Opinions on China Subjects.

List of Passengers by the current and succeeding Mails.

Naval and Military News.

Births, Marriages, and Deaths.

Commercial, Banking, Share Lists, &c.

Market Reports, Shipping News, Freight, Exchanges, &c., from London and the Continent. New York, &c.

Statistics of Imports and Exports.

Statement of each Ship's Cargo for China and Japan, and by the P. & O. Mails.

SUBSCRIPTION—\$12 per Annum With Export Supplement, \$14.50. Single Copies, 50 cents.

J. B. MORRIS,
Agent, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

NOTICE.

HE Undersigned being about to leave the Colony, request that all persons indebted to them will make immediate payment of same and all persons having claims against them will present them for settlement by 31st March 1869.

FRED. M. HARSANT
GEORGE A. F. MORRIS.
Hongkong, March 1, 1869. ap1

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders of this Society, will be held at the Head Office, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the first day of April proximo, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a statement of accounts to 31st December, 1868.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ROBERT WATMORE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 10, 1869. ap11

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE.

HE Transfer Books of the Society will be closed from the 18th day of March, to the 1st day of April 1869, both days included, during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ROBERT WATMORE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 10, 1869. ap11

New Advertisements.

THE next General MEETING of the Members of the MOORSON EDUCATION SOCIETY, will be held in the London Mission House, on the 30th March, at 3 p.m.
D. B. MORRIS,
Secretary.
Hongkong, March 1, 1869. mar30

GREAT REDUCTION.

Closing of Business.

THE Undersigned, who is closing his business in May next, begs most respectfully to offer to the public, his large selection of Photographs, at the following low rates, an opportunity that should not be lost; patrons wishing to have copies from their negatives can have them at greatly reduced rates.

Views in set of 50 each, ... \$20.
Views in set of 25 each, ... \$12.50.

Hongkong, March 12, 1869. tf

HONGKONG HOTEL.

FROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr. GEORGE E. PORTER, to whom all communications should be addressed.

LEE A FONG,
Lessee.

Hongkong Hotel,
March 3, 1869. tf

"STAG HOTEL."

Queen's Road, Hongkong.

EDMUND R. HOLMES,

GRAND PHOTOGRAPHIC RAFFLE OF 6000 PHOTOGRAPHS OF HONGKONG, ETC., ETC., ETO.

ALL Prizes; Highest Prize 60 Photographs; Lowest Prize 12 Photographs, at \$5 per Chance.

Will take place on or about the 12th of April next.

The Undersigned, who is about leaving Hongkong, at an early date, begs to return his sincere thanks to his Patrons, for past favours; is compelled to leave China this Summer for Europe.

Eggs to remind the public that the average price of the above Raffle is only about 35 cents each—a chance that will not again be offered in this Colony; on the contrary, Photographs will advance in price, and fall in quality, after the closing of this Establishment.

Those who wish to have a first-class CARTE DE VISITE, will do well to pay us a visit as soon as possible; this Establishment will be closed in May next.

Reduced Price List on application.

FLOYD & Co.
Hongkong, March 6, 1869. ap16

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's stock will fall due on the dates following, viz:—

On 1st July, 1869, \$25

1st July, 1870, \$25

1st Jan., 1872, \$25

1st Jan., 1873, \$25

\$100

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due; and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the year ending on 31st December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, may be paid on or after MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 16, 1869.

WANTED, by a European, an engagement for two or three years; is well up in Boiler-making, Iron Ship Building, Ship's Smith-work, &c. Can make his own Drawings and Estimates. Three years' character from one of the principal firms in China; will be disengaged in a few weeks.

Address—"B. M." Star House.

Hongkong, March 5, 1869. ap15

THE Undersigned hereby intimates that he has this day received the appointment of Surveyor to FRENCH LLOYDS

under date of December 22nd, 1868.

ROBT. McMURDO.

Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE Fortnightly Market Circulars published by the CHAMBER, will in future be deliverable from the Office of the Undersigned from 10 A.M. of the morning preceding the steamer's departure. The Circulars are at the disposal of non-Members, on application to the Secretary, who will furnish particulars of cost, &c.

J. W. WOOD,
Secretary.

Club Chambers,
Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

PORTRAITS.

MR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, March 17, 1869. tf

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE.—On and after the first day of March next, the office of this Company, situated over the HONGKONG DISPENSARY will be closed. Letters can however be left as heretofore in a box placed for the purpose within the same building.

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CHINA MAIL.

EDAY, MARCH 23, 1899.

TRAR GENERAL'S REPORT.

In perused a report in
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is commendable; the
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Ordinance, the Native
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the Brigades, Chair Coo-
Nuisances—an array of
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It therefore becomes our
endorse and give further
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As wisely been postpou-
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which may almost be
"delusion," namely, that
of character, etc., sent
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to be intended; em-
obtained are always sent
by proper messengers to
to engage the Servant

cordially agree, remarking however that
if the community were wise they would
make the present scale of wages contin-
gent on Registration and Security, non-
secured Servants being paid at a lower
scale. A writer in the local *Notes and
Queries* has thrown considerable light
upon the amount of wages which are
sufficient to maintain a native servant in
respectability, and we venture to say
that were a united determination ex-
pressed to pay only \$5 instead of \$8 or
more to our "boys," &c., the reduction
would after a very short opposition be
submitted to; as even that sum allows of
savings by no means insignificant in
Chinese eyes being accumulated within a
reasonable period. Before passing from
this subject we note one other suggestion
which will, we hope, bear fruit:—that
some degree of Magisterial power be
given to the Registrar General or his
substitute in matters connected with the
domestic offences of servants. As he well
remarks:—"A power to hear and deter-
mine questions between Master and
Servant at the Registration Office, would,
in some cases, prevent the defeat of
justice, by the objection (on the part of
the master) to appear in a public Court."
And this objection is reasonable enough.
The time which is frequently (and per-
haps necessarily) wasted by attendance
at the crowded magistracy, is to many men
of far greater value than the trifling loss
caused by the servant. It is a pity that
such should be the case, but one cannot
be expected to lose perhaps a large sum
of money for the satisfaction of getting a
troublesome boy fined in 50 cents or
imprisoned for three days.

Mr Lister, in touching upon the con-
dition of native trade, states that dealers
in Piece Goods, Cotton, Opium, and Ver-
milion have done well. The Rice Trade
also has not witnessed any great losses.
But Gold shops, Pawnbrokers, Dealers
in Salt Fish and Pigs, Chandlers, &c.,
have suffered severely. As to Rents
they have fallen everywhere. "It is
only fair to say that they were unreason-
ably high before, and there are some who
think they are too high still. Those of
larger Hong are lowered from 15 to 25
per cent, and Chinese Landlords are said
to have lost more than \$100,000"—a
startling sum when the comparative low-
ness of Chinese rents is taken into account.
Bishop Alford's recent remarks upon the
Contagious Diseases Ordinance are dis-
posed of (and we may add very effectively)
in two short paragraphs. The subject is
a disagreeable one and may be left in the
hands which deal with it so satisfactorily.
We need merely express our gratification
that the well-meant but eminently un-
practical remarks of his Lordship have
produced no ill effect.

We are glad to learn that the chair-
coolies are to be looked after. The bidge
system is a step towards improvement,
but there is room for a good deal more.
There are two or three suggestions which
may be very briefly stated: such as mak-
ing every chair carry a scale of charges
painted on tin fastened to a conspicuous
portion of the chair; to make the number
as much as possible a portion of the chair
itself, to prevent exchanges; to assign
certain positions in each street as Chair-
Stands; and to insist on some slight
distinction in the dress of licensed chair-
coolies. The Chinese watchmen seem to
give much more satisfaction than the
class just alluded to:

An examination of the number of cases in
which the District Watchmen have brought
Offenders to Justice, shows that they have
been concerned in 98 such cases, including
128 Defendants, of whom only nine were
discharged. The class of Persons punished
through their undeviations may be broadly
described as "Thieves," inasmuch as at
least three-fourths of the cases consist of
"Larceny," or "Unlawful Possession."
Some few, however, were simply charged
with being bad or suspicious characters, and
there are also one or two notorious
kidnappers who are, happily, in Gaoi.

The Records however from which these
facts are taken, do not adequately represent
the service the Watchmen have rendered
the Colony. Many cases which must other-
wise have gone before the Magistracy, or
even before the Supreme Court, have been
quietly settled by them to the satisfaction
of all parties. The Head Watchmen from
their age and authority are often accepted
as arbiters of perplexing disputes. Very
valuable information has also been collected
through them.

LOCAL.

Br a paragraph in a Queensland paper we
learn that the "Count von Attems," with
whom exploits our readers are familiar, had
promised himself with a complete set of
charts of the China sea, and of the coast
northward; so that, had his career not
been cut short at Java, he might have
formed acquaintance in Hongkong owing
to the generous facility afforded to strangers
on their arrival here. The only bit of
sensible writing in the letters descriptive
of Hongkong life, which lately appeared in
the Standard, was that wherein the writer
pointed out the occasionally absurd results
of the custom of permitting unauthenti-
cated strangers to enjoy the entire to society
without the formality of responsible intro-
duction. The "Count" might not have
found the custom so readily available as it
was, owing to the tricks which an adven-
turer from another part of the world had
but recently played; but he might have
"got on" nevertheless—for a time.

The following paragraph is from a Cape
paper, and contains what may be described
as a "notice to mariners":—
Yesterday, the ship *Nesle*, from China,
homeward bound, put into Table Bay for
repairs. On entering the Customs, Cap-

tain Sullivan was astonished to find that he
had to give in a complete list of his China
cargo for London. This necessitated de-
tailed lists of 33,109 boxes of tea from 25
different shippers; of 3796 packages from a
whole host of shippers; of 400 half chests
of tea from a number more, besides an im-
mense lot of miscellaneous cargo. This
was bad enough; but the unhappy skipper
was quite astounded when he learnt, in
addition, that he must give a full, true, and
particular account of all his stores on board
for the voyage. The remark he made was
somewhat emphatic and almost horrified
Mr Orpen and the officials: "I'll be—
(very unparliamentary language, indeed),
if ever I come into Table Bay again I'll
help it." *N'importe! P'at justitia, ruit
coelum*—which being interpreted means:
Let the new-fangled and silly regulations
be maintained, though all the commerce of
the port should perish!

The subjoined extract from an article in a
late number of the *Sydney Morning Herald*
is not destitute of applicability in our
colonies than that of New South Wales:—
"The *esprit de corps*, the corporation spirit,
the professional sentiment, or whatever
term people choose to employ, includes an
element which is of the highest value to any
people. Men rightly trained and educated,
hold one another amenable to an unwritten
law. It is in vain to say that a thing itself
is not outside the permission of legislation;
that people have only gone to the extreme
of their legal rights; that they have done
no more than accept the advantages offered
by their position. An intelligent view
of any and of the interest of society causes
them not to turn with disgust from such
talk. What is felt to be wrong in itself,
though not liable to any penalty inscribed
in the statutes, places men in a disagree-
able class. It is, indeed, quite possible that
society may fall so that this unwritten code
of personal obligations shall have no force
or recognition; at least that there should
be no disposition to condemn a wrong un-
less it be suffered by the censor himself.
People may see meanness and injustice
without approval and without condemna-
tion; or even with feelings so divided that
they are disposed rather to praise the ingenu-
ity and cleverness of the process than to
estimate by its proper standard the thing
itself."

TODAY'S POLICE.

Mr May on the Bench.
Very few cases of interest were before the
Magistrate to-day.
A China-boy summoned Mr F. Francis,
Praya Hotel, for assault. Complainant
was a servant in the Hotel temporarily, but
is the defendant's boy, and lives at Moque
Street. For some reason or other, defend-
ant flogged the boy with a rattan; and it
appeared that a woman was at the bottom
of the affair. Defendant admitted having
beaten the boy, but gave his reasons there-
for; which reasons were corroborated by a
female dressed in European style but of
doubtful or mixed ancestry. His Wor-
ship therefore discharged the defendant.

SUPREME COURT.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before Chief Justice SMITH and a Jury.)

March 23, 1899.

The March Sessions were resumed this
morning at ten o'clock. His Lordship took
his seat at ten minutes after ten, and the
Attorney General appeared for the Crown,
but remained only for a few minutes.

At the request of the Attorney General,
a *nolle prosequi* was entered in the case of
piracy and murder. Kuan Afook (a
cripple), who was charged with the above
crime, was expected to have been identified
by a witness for the prosecution; but this
identification having failed, the Attorney
General therefore asked that a *nolle prosequi*
should be entered. This was done,
and the prisoner was discharged.

The following Jurors answered to their
names, and took their seats in the jury-box:
Messrs F. W. Mitchell jun., Grochen,
Blackburn, Volkman, Gibon, Knowles,
and L. Gaupp.
Mr J. S. Cox (Messrs Lane, Crawford
& Co.) was called, but upon representing to
his Lordship that he had an auction to go
through, was allowed to go. Mr Knowles
(of the same house) taking his place. It
was stated that three assistants from the
same firm had been summoned for the pre-
sent jury; when his Lordship expressed
his surprise that such should have been
done, remarking that this had occurred
before.

The Attorney General having asked that his
Lordship would take the case of the *Wind-
ward* to-morrow, and that of the *Ziba* the
day after, said that Mr Hayler would take
two or three cases; and then left the Court
to sit in the Small Cause Court.—Mr
Hayler prosecuting.

LARCENY AT BOMBAY TAVERN.

Geo. Buckingham was charged with hav-
ing stolen \$35 from a marine named Jack-
son, whilst in the Bombay Tavern. It ap-
pears that, on 1st March, Jackson was on
shore and got drinking in the Bombay
Tavern. He took with him \$40 in notes
and some silver; and after spending his
odd silver, it appeared that he changed a
\$5 note, putting his remaining \$35 in his
trousers' pocket. By this time Jackson
was very drunk, and lay down on a settle
near the prisoner, on the side of the marine
where the money was deposited. When the
marine awoke (he had gone to sleep be-
side the prisoner), he found his money gone,
and the prisoner also absent. Further
evidence showed that, later in the evening,
prisoner appeared at the Albion Tavern, in
a state of intoxication and flush of money;
which money was taken from him by the
barman of the Albion, for safe keeping;
previously he had no money.

Prisoner got up a defence to the effect
that he had got money from his "hands"
on board the *Deople*, and lay down on a settle
to support the assertion.

His Lordship said that it was for the jury
to consider whether, having the opportu-
nity, the prisoner had taken the money or
not. He would read over the evidence, if
they chose.

The jury declined to hear further of the
case, as they were unanimously of opinion
that the prisoner was guilty.

His Lordship passed upon prisoner a
sentence of two years' hard labour. Jack-
son received back his \$27, with a caution.

CHILD STEALING.

Clint Amos was next charged with child
stealing. Having pleaded not guilty, it
was proved in evidence that prisoner in-
veigled a child from the house of its parents

in Tung-man Lane on 23rd ult., and took
the child to Macao.

The evidence was clearly against the pri-
soner, and the Jury returned a verdict of
guilty.

His Lordship sentenced the prisoner to
eighteen months' hard labour, with two
whippings of 25 strokes each.

ROBBERY WITH VIOLENCE.

Yune Amos and Leo Aick were placed
at the bar, charged with robbery with vi-
olence at Gap Street, near the Mission
Chapel.

A verdict of guilty was returned, and the
Chief Justice reserved his sentence.

THE OUTRAGE AT SHANGHAI.

Loong Aik and Lum Ahing, the two
Chinese committed of the gang who at-
tempted and partially succeeded in robbing
some Chinese at Shantung, in bags, were
charged with burglary and larceny.—The
Attorney General appeared in this case.

The account of the Chinese long thus
robbed gave evidence as to the robbery.
The first prisoner was caught inside the
store, by one of the goldmen.

P. C. 368 (Sikh) took first prisoner and
some blankets into his possession.

A Chinese shopkeeper stated that he saw
the second prisoner arrested at West Point,
after (2nd prisoner) had thrown down
one of the bags of cattle feed.

SUMMARY JURISDICTION COURT.

(Before Hon. J. PAUNCEFOTE.)

March 23, 1899.

Most of the cases for to-day were settled
out of Court. Among those that were set-
tled:—Durongis Novroze v. A. McDonald
and others, \$200; W. Drissoll v. C. P.
Chatter, \$21.27; Same v. Salisbury, \$3.39;
Same v. Wasserman, \$2.75; H. W. Hohn-
holz v. Jose de Senna, \$5.25; Same v. J. de
Silva, \$3.65; Same v. A. Albert and wife,
\$10.87; and A. Talyaly v. J. de Silva,
\$8.50.

Among those decided were:—H. S. King
v. J. W. Torrey, \$284.68; H. W. Hohn-
holz v. another, J. de Senna, \$8.61; O.
Wagner (jun.) v. J. Silva, \$120 (time
refused by the Court); M. F. Collado
v. F. M. Santos, \$8. In these judgments
was given for the plaintiff; and the Court
adjudged at three o'clock.

CHINA.

(Recorder.)

The chain gang system of punishment
was revived again on the 14th. As it is
much dreaded by the natives, we believe it
will have a good effect in lessening the
number of prisoners. A party of Chinese
boys, which occupy so much of the magis-
trates' attention at the Mixed Court.
Chen, the Chinese magistrate, has ex-
pressed to our reporter his private opinion,
that for the recent attack on foreigners at
Pootung there was not the remotest pro-
vocation; but that much ill-feeling has
been raised among the villagers by the bad
treatment offered to themselves and their
property by the sportsmen who frequented
the place during the late shooting season.

Freight to Hienan was, we believe,
reduced the other day by the S. N. Co. to
Ta. 4.

An adjourned enquiry into the Pootung
outrage was held on the 14th, but nothing
of importance was elicited except that one
of the party, seemed under the influence of
drink.

There is every prospect of a good Spring
Meeting this year, and a large number of
presentation Cups are on the list of those to
be run for.

The Gorman Cup will, we hear, worthily
represent the liberality of its donors. The
compradores give a plate, and the sons of
the Nimshi contribute of their spoils. The
Hunt Cup was won by a Chinese, and is a
"heavy weight" presents a prize in the
name of Jockeys, for ponies and riders who
have never won a race. In addition to these
is the attraction of the Ladies' Purse, the
annual favour of the fair patronesses of
sport. We hope that the weather will give
the trainers a fair chance of bringing their
animals in their best condition to the post.

A new tea clipper, the *Thermopylae*, ar-
rived in port on the 12th inst, from Newca-
stle on the N. S. W. She was built in Aberde-
en by Messrs Walter, Hood & Co., and is in-
tended to take part in the great Ocean
Race. There can be no doubt that she
will be a formidable antagonist to the *Clyde*
built vessels, as she has made the most
rapid passage on record from London to
Melbourne, completing the distance in 59
days. On her being reported, by a mail
steamer, off the coast of Australia, the news
could hardly be credited. The passage
from Newcastle to Woorong was made in
28 days. This noble vessel is commanded
by Captain Kemball, late of the Clipper
ship *Yang-tse*.

Ting Foo-tai is so well known by name
among foreigners, that the following opi-
nion in his history, which has been commu-
nicated to us from Chinese sources, will be
read with interest.—Late, the Tartar Ge-
neral, Wen, arrived at Soochow on his way
to Foochow from Peking. Wen
was of very high position having at
one time held the post of Vice roy. On
his arrival at Soochow, etiquette deman-
ded that Ting should at once pay him an
official visit. But to Wen's great astonish-
ment and anger he did not come, and after
waiting four hours, he gave orders to re-
commence his journey. In the meanwhile
the custom house officials had sent off a
pressing message to Ting, who arrived
just as the boats were going to move off.
Now it is the custom when dignitaries
meet in this way, that the resident official
should ask after the health of the
Emperor in certain set phrases (which
the Chinese call *tsing shen* upon). Answer
having been given in the appropriate
phraseology, they enter into conversation.
Ting either did not know or forgot this,
and addressed himself on common matters
to the General and was immediately reprim-
anded. He then humbly apologised and
asked permission to continue his visit. But
another omission that he had made put more
difficulties in his way. He came dressed in
a suit of blue, with *tsuei* overcoat. Now,
for shall be no more than a common official,
he should have been in his uniform.

The general asked him what he meant by coming in
his private dress after this insulting fa-
cility. Ting retired in confusion and hurry,
leaving home charged with dread, and re-
turned to the boats. He was now admitted
into the greater man's presence. "Your name
is Ting is it not?" said Wen. "Yes," said
Ting, embarrassed at this mode of address.
"And have you any other names," said Wen
in a sneering tone. "I have," said Ting,
and then pronounced them. "Well then

you may go now," said the General. Ting
retired in confusion. The other officials
rue also to go, but were asked to remain.
Ting on reaching his house tore off his but-
tons, rent his clothes, and ordered his secre-
tary to laugh him the proper etiquette.
He is now the laughing stock of all the
mandarins in his neighbourhood. He has
asked and received permission to visit the
Emperor in order to obviate his disgrace,
but as a visit to the capital will cost him
several tens of thousands of taels, it is not
unlikely that he will turn sick on the way
and retire to private life in Canton, espe-
cially as it is reported that other circumstances
have occurred perhaps more difficult of
adjustment.

A Foochow correspondent writes:—"For
nearly a month, this port has had only one
or two opportunities to send by steam to
the North." During this interval, very
little has transpired of public interest. The
literati in the city have apparently quieted
down, and have allowed missionaries, mer-
chants and others, to survive. The British
Consulate has not been sacked; newspaper
reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Sanitarium on Sharp Peak Island,
at the mouth of the Min, is being built by
the Mandarin of this city. The papers
remain in the hands of the English Church
mission, and the building is now constructed
according to the mission plan, all at the
expense of the Chinese Government, as the
runcun goes. The original cost was esti-
mated to be over 2,000 dollars. It is said
the mandarins will charge a nominal rent,
as I heard it, only 16 dollars per year.
This, considering that the Sanitarium is
planned to accommodate 3 families in the
summer months, is a moderate sum; and
perhaps others would be glad to become
tenants of government-built houses on the
same terms, minus the trouble that has
been experienced.

Some week or more ago, news came from
two or three places, 30 or 40 miles to the
south-west of this, where there are a num-
ber of native Christians, that they had suf-
fered persecution from their fellow-coun-
trymen. Eighteen houses had been pillaged
and partially destroyed; cattle and sheep
belonging to the Christians had been driven
off, etc. The disturbers of the peace threat-
ened to do injury to the Christians, and
their friendly neighbours and relatives liv-
ing in other adjacent villages. The magis-
trate of the district 福清 was at the
time in the city, spending his New Year,
and having a good time generally. His
absence from his Yamen may have embold-
ened the persecutors. He promised, on his
return, to examine into the matter and set
things to rights without delay.

The American gunboat *Unadilla*, Capt.
Yates, has been in port about a couple of
weeks, and purposes to remain several
more longer.

The Brit. barque *Kate Young*, Captain
Young, bound from Foochow to Shanghai,
got on shore whilst proceeding down the
River Min on the 3rd inst., in conse-
quence of which she has returned to Pogo-
da anchorage in a leaky condition, and is
now discharging cargo (Poles) and will
most probably have to go into Dry Dock
for repairs. Full extent of damage done,
not yet known."

At Shanghai Judgment is re Schellhass
& Co. v. S. S. Co. for short
delivery of cargo from the *United Service*,
was delivered on the 10th inst., in favor
of the defendant with costs.

A Newchwang correspondent writes:—
The bean-cake machinery has been working
for the last three days. It turns out about
600 pieces per diem; but can hardly, it
should think, pay at that rate, with its
present heavy expenses. The river is still
frozen over—and I don't think the ice will
break up before the 15th March. The
Thermometer on 17th Feb. stood at zero
Fah., and we have had heavy falls of snow.

A party of excursionists saw tracks of a
tiger some 50 miles from here; but the
natives say they do not fear, as the Emper-
or has forbidden the tigers eating the
people. There is little business doing; the
news of a depressed shirting market in
Shanghai having tended to keep natives
from buying as they hope for cheap goods
in the future. There are heavy stocks of
manufactures here, in foreign hands. Con-
sumption should, therefore, be kept in fu-
elishments. Malva is quoted Ta. 620;
Beans, Ta. 3.64 per 100 pieces; Peas,
Ta. 2.44 per 300 catties; Oil Ta. 3.14 per
85 catties.

(Evening Current.)

A vague rumor is current (8th inst.)
throughout the Settlement of disturbances
which are said to have suddenly broken out
at Ningpo, after the date of the last Steamer
thence, Friday afternoon. It is even said
that Admiral Kopp's destination was sud-
denly changed to that port, and that the
Salamanca which left this afternoon has gone
thence instead of up the Yangtze. We
merely give the rumor as we have received
it, having been quite unable to trace it to
its source.

A correspondent at Hankow, under date
of 7th inst., writes us as follows:—"Excep-
ting the arrival of Li Footai nothing worthy
of note has occurred here lately. He ar-
rived last Friday week, but did not enter
Woo-chang till the following Sunday, having
unhappily outside the City, where I am
informed numbers of Chinese officials did
honor to him in the most obsequious
manner. He has been similarly fêted
throughout his entire passage up the river,
many of the Mandarins preparing sum-
ptuous banquets, brilliant pageants, &c.,
only one of which he deigned to honor
with his presence. It is stated that he sent
up from Shanghai a small quantity of wa-
ter, intended I presume as a hint that he wished
the late Vice Roy's palace to be well cleansed
for his reception. Li has disabbed
most of his army. He brought with him
only two hundred of his Body Guard and a
number of officers. He remained on board
his junk which has no "peaky bilers." Dur-
ing nearly the whole time of his passage up,
he being towed by the *Tung-Chi*. I hear
he purposes removing the Nanking Arsenal
up to this place, but I presume will first
have to induce the Emperor to second the
motion which for obvious reasons he may
not be inclined to do.

The *Nanking*, from Chefoo and Tientsin,
arrived on the 10th. She has no news
of importance. Mr Markham, H. M. Con-
sul, in company with Revd. Mr Williams,
and another gentleman are making a tour
through the silk-producing districts in the
vicinity of Chefoo to see what can be done
to encourage the trade in that staple and
thus improve the resources of the port.

We learn that the Customs cruiser *Kuo*
Shing was fired into whilst lying under the
Isle of Montague Island on the 4th inst.,

about 1 o'clock in the morning, having been
compelled to anchor there in consequence
of a dense fog. It was at first supposed
that the firing was caused by some Chinese
chinchining Joss, but this was soon disco-
vered not to be the case, as shots were heard
whizzing about and one actually struck the
water so close to the steamer's paddle box
that the spray covered the Captain who was
on the bridge at the time; it must have
been from a large gun from the density of
water that it threw up. It was then deemed
advisable to move the steamer to a place
of safety, and the crew were beat to quar-
ters so as to be ready for any emergency it
being evident that the vessel was being
attacked, and it was then determined to re-
pulsed them if possible. The steamer was then
got underway, and as she steamed ahead
she fired her two bow Armstrongs on her
opponent, a sight of which was only obtained
by a flash from one of the pirate's guns.
The *Kuo Shing* then turned to bring her
stern guns to bear, but before this could be
executed, confused cries were heard as if the
12 pounder Armstrongs had done there work
and the pirates were retreating, leaving all
the glory in possession of the *Kuo Shing*.
It was to be regretted that the density of
the fog prevented the steamer from chasing
her opponent and bringing her into port; as
it was, she was obliged to again anchor till
daylight. A large boat filled with armed
men had on the previous evening attempted
to come alongside, but looking suspiciously
was ordered off by the man on watch; they
attempted to approach her, but were prevent-
ed from doing so. There is no doubt that the
smallness of the vessel deceived them, and
they must have taken her for a small east-
ing Steamer, but in this they were deceived,
as the strong talking of the Armstrongs
clearly demonstrated when they beat a
precipitate retreat under the cover of the
dense fog, and nothing further was heard of
them.

DEATH OF ERNEST JONES.

(*Manchester Examiner*, Jan. 27.)

We need not describe with what feelings
we read to our readers this morning the
sad intelligence which appeared in one of our
later editions of the death of Mr Ernest
Jones is dead. His immediate friends were
in some measure prepared for the unex-
pected event, but to the public at large, our-
selves included, who were unaware of his
illness, and who thought of him as he was
only a week ago, apparently full of vigour,
speaking with more than his usual force,
glowing with honourable ambition, and on
the eve of realizing his cherished dreams, the
shock is abrupt and painful in the ex-
tremes.

This day week he left his bedroom to at-
tend a meeting of the Working Men's As-
sociation at the Holborn Town Hall. He was
indisposed, but a fervent soul like his makes
light of indispositions. The speech he de-
livered on that occasion will long possess a
melancholy interest for his friends. He
observed that he had a personal reason for
wishing to enter Parliament without delay.
Ten years before he could afford to wait,
but he was now getting beyond his prime,
and what little work there was in his mind
must be taken out speedily, or it would
soon be lost altogether. Probably his weak
state of health suggested words which were
unconsciously prophetic. It was already
too late for him. His career was at an end.
He was but interpreting the call of the in-
visible messenger sent to summon him
away.

"Hark! you are called: some say the
Genius is
Cries, 'Come!' to him that instantly
must die."

It is not the time to challenge criticism
upon a life so varied, so chequered, so stormy,
and so imperfectly understood as that
of Mr Ernest Jones, but the prominent
part he has played in what we may describe
as the working-class politics of this country
will justify and even require a few observa-
tions at our hands. Our recollections of
him, based, however, exclusively upon ma-
terials accessible to the public, extend over
a period of two-and-twenty years, and
the result is a tolerably definite impres-
sion of his character which we will attempt
to convey as the best tribute we can offer
to his memory. Provenant Jones, at least
for many years, depicted him as a turbulent
fellow, begotten so anywhere or other in the
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to vex to the utmost of his small ability a
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NOTIFICATION.
THE TEA TRADE AT CANTON.

THE following Notification has been is-
sued by Her Britannic Majesty's Con-
sul at Canton:—
Notification
No. 2.

BRITISH CONSULATE,
CANTON, February 25, 1869.
Representations having been made to the
undersigned with reference to the diffi-
culty experienced in obtaining the due ful-
filment of contracts through the failure of
the Tea-men and Brokers to supply Tea in
bulk according to the muster upon which
they were purchased, he brought the mat-
ter, in conjunction with the Consul au-
thorities, before the Chinese authori-
ties, with a view to devising some mode by
which the evil complained of might be re-
medied. It is obvious that the remedy lay
to a great extent in the hands of the pur-
chasers themselves, by the refusal of the
Tea if they were inferior to the samples;
but difficulties interposed in following this
course, such as Tonnage having been en-
gaged, advances having gone forward, and
others unnecessary to mention. Moreover,
as the rejection of a chop was little likely
to cause loss or damage to the Tea, owing
to market fluctuations, no unwilling-
ness was felt on this part to such a re-
sult, in fact, it was an encouragement to fraudu-
lent practices. The undersigned was there-
fore of opinion that compelling the fulfil-
ment of contracts or enforcing what is
termed an "equitable cut" for inferior
quality, were necessary measures, if trade
was to be conducted on anything like a
sound basis, he therefore directed his at-
tention to devising a mode of arbitration or
proceeding by means of which the expenses
and delay of a Chinese court of law might
be avoided. It is not worth while to detail
the particulars of the proposition he made,
as, after long negotiations, it was rejected
by the Tea guild, who met by a counter
proposition that if Tea when delivered was
not equal to muster, it should be rejected.
Seeing that no amicable arrangement could
be arrived at, the undersigned, in conjunc-
tion with the Consul for the United States,
requested the Chinese authorities to notify
the utmost rigour of the law would be en-
forced in all cases of fraudulent practices,
and he hopes that the Proclamation which
has been issued accordingly, a copy of
translation of which is annexed, will have
the effect intended, by showing the parties
against whom it is directed that they will
not escape with impunity from the conse-
quences of their misdeeds.
(Signed) D. B. ROBERTSON,
Consul.

Proclamation by CHEN, Magistrate of the
Nanhai District, Canton, Magistrate of the
P'ungyung District.
We have received instructions from his
Honour the Financial Commissioner, em-
bodying orders from his Excellency the Vic-
roy in tenor as follow:—
"The Vicroy received a communication
on the 20th August last from the British
Consul, Mr. Robertson, to the effect that he
has been addressed by the British mer-
chants at Canton with reference to the great
loss and detriment to their trade caused
by the inferior qualities of the Tea supplied
by the Tea-men, notwithstanding their con-
tracts to deliver Tea according to muster.
The practice appears to be that the Tea-
brokers take round samples of Tea, and
the merchants after inspecting and tasting
their qualities and arranging for the price
to be paid for the chop, with the weight in
piculs and the time of delivery, engage ton-
nage by vessels proceeding to England;
and when the Tea agreed for arrive in
Canton, they are found on inspection to be
not only far inferior in quality to the sam-
ple supplied, but largely mixed with what
are called 'lie-tens,' or leaves of plants of
all kinds prepared to imitate the genuine
tea. This has now become the regular
practice, and it is necessary that some mea-
sures should be taken to put an end to the
frauds which are thus perpetrated. He
therefore urges that measures be devised
with this end in view, etc., etc. The U. S.
Consul, Mr. King, has also made a similar
representation. On receipt of the foregoing
the Vicroy orders that the dealers with in-
junctions to be laid upon them for their obedience."

The Magistrates being in receipt of the
above instructions, have to issue a notifica-
tion in pursuance of their tenor; and we
do therefore accordingly proclaim for the
instruction of all members of the Tea
Trade, that it is an obvious duty to make
honest and good faith the guiding prin-
ciple of commerce with foreign merchants,
and that to cheat or to deliver inferior
goods is no wise to permit. They should, more-
over, bear in mind that the bulk of the Tea
export has been confined of late years to
the ports of Fookien, whilst the local trade
in Canton itself has at the same time
lagged in an unusual degree. If fraudu-
lent practices in the way of false packing
be further persisted in, not only will those
guilty of such acts be liable to prosecution
and thus incur the danger of arrest and of
action for compensation, but the trade
itself will continue to fall off daily, and the
possibility of gain to the trader will be
still more remote. It is not difficult to
perceive on which side the real interest of
the dealer actually lies. After the issue of
this Notification, if the traders referred to
fail to amend their ways, and still continue
involving in fraudulent practices, on com-
plaint being lodged by foreign merchants,
they shall not only be required to make
compensation, but shall further be visited
with severe punishment, under the statute
for assisting the offence of obtaining
money by false pretences with the crime
of robbery. Be ye careful, therefore, not
to disobey, and thus to involve yourselves
in trouble. Let all tremblingly obey. A
special Proclamation.
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SHIPPING IN HARBOUR

HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

On Pedder's Wharf.—W.C., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Dispatch.
1868-69.							
STEAMERS							
Bahama	W.C. Ferris	Brit. str.	715	March 18	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Shanghai, &c.	
Donnai	W.C. Bourdon	Fch. str.	1065	March 18	Messageries Impariales	Saigon, Suez, &c.	30th, noon
Emou	W.C. Barlow	Brit. str.	1538	March 12	P. & O. S. N. Co	Bombay, &c.	To-day 9 a.m.
Formosa	W.C. Hockin	Brit. str.	700	March 18	P. & O. S. N. Co	East Coast	To-day
Ganges	W.C. Oates	Brit. str.	1200	March 17	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Madras	W.C. Davies	Brit. str.	606	March 10	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Malacca	W.C. MacNamara	Brit. str.	1790	March 6	P. & O. S. N. Co		
Marques de la Victoria	W.C. Pedro Ossa	Span. str.	1200	March 21	Spanish Consul		
Sowonada	W. Jayne	Amer. str.	1802	March 21	A. Heard & Co	Shanghai	
Titana	W. Hamlin	Tahit. str.	805	January 21	A. Heard & Co		
Venus	W. Cuming	Amer. str.	677	August 30	A. Heard & Co		
Yung-hai-an	W.C. Morrison	Russ. str.	447	October 19	Landstein & Co		
SAILING VESSELS							
Agathia & Constantia	W. Lindout	Dut. bk.	468	Feb. 1	Bosman & Co	Sourabaya	
Albatros	W. Lousin	N. Ger. bk.	412	March 16	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Amesee	W. Halmeton	Frit. bk.	380	January 20	Stirley & Co	Singapore	
Amaranth	E. Fabricius	N. Ger. bk.	400	March 7	Melchers & Co		
Amur	K. Perks	Salv. sh.	1450	January 16	Captain		
Amur	W.C. Gyllenpalm	Russ. bk.	200	March 8	John Burd & Co	London	Immediate
Amur	E. Fabricius	Brit. sch.	304	Feb. 16	John Burd & Co	Poochow	
Asuncion	W.C. Berri	Span. bk.	270	Feb. 19	Order	Tientsin	
Atlantic	E. Suhr	N. Ger. bk.	183	January 21	Carlowitz & Co		
Benefactor	W.C. Barry	Amer. bk.	696	Feb. 28	Smith, Archer & Co	New York	
Bezel	W. Chelwell	Brit. sch.	204	Feb. 20	Order		
Callio	E. Lavarello	Salv. sh.	1440	Nov. 17	Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Camille Cavour	K. Astorquia	Salv. sh.	820	March 18	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Cap-sing-moon	E. Watterson	Brit. bk.	466	March 21	E. Burrows & Sons		
Ceres	W.C. Schwarh	N. Ger. bk.	410	March 16	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Chelak	W. Lowe	Brit. bk.	904	March 18	Rozario & Co		
Chow-Sye	W. Wewazer	Siam. sh.	422	March 20	Chinese		
Chyper	N. Ger. sch.	263	March 11	Melchers & Co			
Constantia	W. Abano	Span. bk.	184	January 30	Remedios & Co		
Dart	W. Stuart	Amer. sch.	85	March 17	A. Heard & Co		
Dart West	K. Pust	N. Ger. bk.	541	Feb. 21	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Yokohama	To-day
Dom Pedro II	W. Young	Brit. bk.	244	March 1	F. K. Banajee	Yokohama	
Egoria	K. Burt	Brit. bk.	875	March 21	Arnhold, Karberg & Co		
Ellen	W. Windsor	Brit. bk.	631	Dec. 20	Olyphant & Co		
Ellen Rickmers	W. Rehm	N. Ger. bk.	306	March 10	Melchers & Co		
E. A. Palmer	W. McCallin	Brit. sh.	1626	January 31	A. Heard & Co	San Francisco	Immediate
Falcon	E. Dunn	Brit. sh.	793	March 21	Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Frederia	W. Nicolson	Belg. sh.	803	January 6	Borneo Company		
Gipsy	W. Siemssen	Brit. bk.	250	March 20	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	Chefoo	
Gorge Becker	W. Behnck	N. Ger. bk.	268	March 6	Siemssen & Co		
Gravina	W. Barolo	Span. bk.	246	March 11	Remedios & Co		
Halyetia	E. Bailey	Amer. sh.	1205	Feb. 9	Russell & Co	San Francisco	Early
Johann Smidt	W. Hagmann	N. Ger. bk.	400	March 18	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Julia Ann	W.C. Baker	Brit. bk.	466	March 21	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Kedar	K. Cowie	Brit. bk.	632	March 16	D. Lapraik & Co		
Kim Yang Tye	W. Lange	Siam. bk.	329	January 18	Chinese		
Landrost Braun	E. Harten	N. Ger. bk.	214	March 18	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Leen Fa	W.C. Collinson	Brit. bk.	286	October 10	Order		
Lima	W. Heinhardt	Ital. bk.	265	Feb. 9	Carlowitz & Co	Lima	
Lorelei	W. Ingemann	N. Ger. bk.	303	March 17	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Luisa Canavaro	W. Moro	Salv. sh.	1100	March 20	Wm. Pustau & Co		
Luisa	W. Kuhn	N. Ger. bk.	290	March 17	Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Magdalena	E. Boyan	N. Ger. bk.	480	March 16	Siemssen & Co		
Maria	W. Canellas	Russ. sh.	637	Feb. 10	Landstein & Co		
Marian	K.	Brit. bk.	400	March 17	Siemssen & Co		
Mary	E. Dahl	N. Ger. sch.	180	March 21	Order		
Meteor	W.C. Verney	Brit. bk.	279	March 21	Russell & Co	Bangkok	To-day
Meteor	W. Peterson	Siam. bk.	305	Feb. 11	Chinese	San Francisco	Early
National Eagle	E. Nickerson	Amer. sh.	1095	Feb. 1	A. Heard & Co		
Nevada	E. Paddon	Brit. bk.	408	Feb. 21	Landstein & Co		
Northfleet	W. Oates	Brit. sh.	876	March 10	Gilman & Co	Saigon	
Nuevo Constante	W. Fabie	Span. bk.	203	Dec. 16	Remedios & Co		
Ocean	E. Nurynea	Feb. bk.	528	Nov. 6	Thomas Howard	San Francisco	Early
Old Dominion	E. Freeman	Amer. sh.	695	March 11	A. Heard & Co		
Rodrigo	W.C. Perallo	Span. bk.	177	March 8	Wahes & Co	Manila	
Ruby	E. Schwalky	Brit. bk.	632	Feb. 16	Remedios & Co		
Santa Anna	W. Cavito	Span. bk.	462	Feb. 10	Remedios & Co		
Shirley	W. Ferguson	Amer. sh.	1049	Dec. 21	Russell & Co	San Francisco	Immediate
Sultan	W.C. Moss	Brit. bk.	620	Feb. 27	Thomas Howard		
Villa de Granada	W. Carrique	Feb. bk.	269	March 21	Landstein & Co		
Vision	W. Cummons	Brit. bk.	159	March 13	A. G. Hogg & Co		
W. G. Russell	E. Jowett	Brit. sh.	1243	March 7	Master	San Francisco	Immediate
Windward	K. Barrett	Amer. sh.	982	Feb. 8	Russell & Co		
Ziba	K. Bowes	Brit. bk.	513	March 7	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Foochow	

WHAMPOA.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Dispatch.
Anne Porter	Davey	Brit. bk.	234	March 3	Order	Ningpo	
Arthur	Crosby	Amer. bk.	250	January 26	Russell & Co	Tientsin	
Batavia	Hertzner	N. Ger. bk.	365	March 9	Wm. Pustau & Co	Ningpo	
Bertha	Mooney	Brit. str.	285	Feb. 25	Douglas Lapraik & Co		
Colima	Buhrfeind	N. Ger. bk.	225	Feb. 18	Wm. Pustau & Co	Tientsin	
Fromm	Lutgens	N. Ger. sch.	190	March 17	Carlowitz & Co	Tientsin	
Junco	Iversen	N. Ger. bk.	269	March 18	Arnhold, Karberg & Co	Tientsin	
Niger	Jobling	Brit. str.	1125	March 19	Borneo Company	Shanghai	
United Service	Tough	Brit. str.	612	March 21	Wm. Pustau & Co		24th instant

VESSELS LOADING.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignees.
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS—			
NINGPO	Anne Porter	Brit. bk.	Order
Do.	Batavia	N. Ger. bk.	Wm. Pustau & Co
FOOCHOW	Ziba	Brit. bk.	Douglas Lapraik & Co
Do.	Anne	Brit. sch.	John Burd & Co
SHANGHAI	Niger	Brit. str.	Borneo Company
Do.	Bahama	Brit. str.	Douglas Lapraik & Co
CHITPO	Gorge Becker	N. Ger. bk.	Siemssen & Co
TIENTSIN	Atlantic	N. Ger. bk.	Carlowitz & Co
Do.	Clipper	N. Ger. sch.	Melchers & Co
Do.	Colima	N. Ger. bk.	Wm. Pustau & Co
Do.	Arthur	Amer. bk.	Russell & Co
Do.	Fromm	N. Ger. sch.	Carlowitz & Co
Do.	Junco	N. Ger. bk.	Arnhold, Karberg & Co
YOKOHAMA	D. Pedro II	Brit. bk.	F. K. Banajee
OTHER PORTS—			
LONDON	Amur	Russ. bk.	John Burd & Co
NEW YORK	Benefactor	Amer. bk.	Smith, Archer & Co
SAN FRANCISCO	Holyetia	Amer. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	National Eagle	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Windward	mer. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	F. A. Palmer	Brit. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Shirley	Amer. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	Old Dominion	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
SUEZ, &c.	Domai	Fch. str.	Messageries Impariales
SINGAPORE	Amaranth	N. Ger. bk.	Melchers & Co
SAIGON	Northfleet	Brit. sh.	Gilman & Co
MANILA	Rodrigo	Span. bk.	Wahes & Co
SOURABAYA	A. & Constantia	Dut. bk.	Bosman & Co
LIMA	Lima	Ital. bk.	Carlowitz & Co

*At Whampoa.

†At Canton.

MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Commander.
Adventure	British	steam troop ship	1794	Hy. J. Raby, V.C. Capt.
Bouncer	British	gun boat	230	60 Rodney Lloyd, Lieut. Comr.
Carthens	Portuguese	gun-boat	2	Maciel
Cookchester	British	gun boat	250	60 H. W. Kerr
Flamer	British	Naval hospital	230	Attached to Melville
Grasshopper	British	gun boat	230	60 In ordinary.
Iroquois	U. States	steam sloop	1000	Earl English
Janta	British	gun boat	167	40 Leicester C. Keppel
Mecenes	British	Military h'pital	2501	Hospital ship
Melville	British	Naval hospital		Geo. B. Hill, Staff Surgeon
Perseus	British	steam sloop	955	200 G. J. Stevens
Piscataqua	U. States	steam sloop	3177	— Ammen
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	2443	Oliver J. Jones, Commodore

CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON WATERS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Commander.
An-lan	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Godall
Chen-to	Chinese	gun vessel	221	Edwards
Ching-tai	Chinese	gun boat	4	Bessard
Chin-hai	Chinese	gun boat	6	Deine
Fet-loong	Chinese	gun boat	6	Francis
Spy	Chinese	Customs' lorch	180	Pointer
Sui-tai	Chinese	gun boat	180	Stewart
Tien-po	Chinese	gun boat	6	de Longueville

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON.

RIVER STEAMERS.

Vessel.	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
Dragon	British	117	Stephenson	P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame (110 h.p.)	Do.	380		H. & W. Dock Company's tug
Fire Dart	Do.	459	Benning	H. & W. Dock Company's tug
Kim Shan	Do.	617		H. & W. Dock Company's tug
Kim Kiang	Do.	69		H. & W. Dock Company's tug
Little Orphan	Do.	46	Benning	Union Dock Company's tug
Poyang	Do.	379	Cary	H. & W. Dock Company's tug
Prince Albert	Do.	180		H. & W. Dock Company's tug
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	101		H. & W. Dock Company's tug
Spark	Amer.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
Spec	Do.		Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud	British	280	Carrol	H. & W. Dock Company's tug

RECEIVING SHIPS & HULKS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Chase	P. M.	ship	283	Mason	Harbour Master (Gunpowder)
Fort William	British	ship	1000	Townsend	P. & O. S. N. Co
John Adam	British	barque	318	Dennis Daly	Water Police
Kim Joo Hong	"	"	288		

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